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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

EUGENE JOSEPH PANCHERI, ET AL.

: CONFIRMATION NO: 7726

SERIAL NO.: 10/697,736

: GROUP ART UNIT: 3749

FILED: OCTOBER 29, 2003

: EXAMINER: JIPING LU

FOR: FABRIC ARTICLE TREATING
METHOD AND DEVICE COMPRISING A

HEATING MEANS

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P&G CASE: 9400M

## PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 8, 2007

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-145

Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the Office Action dated January 8, 2007. Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time to reply to this response. Authorization is provided to charge any fees associated with this response to Deposit Account No.: 16-2480. As a matter of review, the instant application is comprised of Claims 1-25. Claims 5 and 17 were previously cancelled without prejudice. Claims 1-4, 6-16, and 18-25 have been subject to a restriction requirement. Applicants have elected with traverse to prosecute the claims of Group I (i.e.; Claims 1-4 and 6-10).

A Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

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